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TESTS ON ASBESTOS AND RUBBER SHEET PACKING

The enclosed blue prints show the results of comparative tests on various makes of Asbestos and Rubber Sheet Packing.

The compression tests were made with a ring die as shown on small blue print. The area of the ring in contact with the packing is one square inch and the compression takes place between the ring and a flat steel surface.

The tensile tests were made using test pieces cut with a 1/4" die, 2" gage length, and with a speed of separation of the grips of 12 inches per minute.

Packing No. _____



For compression
test of rubber
and asbestos
sheet packing



To be made of
machine steel

Scale $\frac{1}{2}$ size.



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